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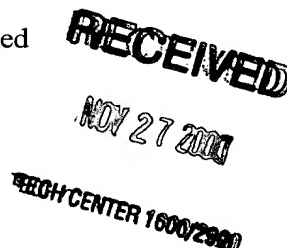
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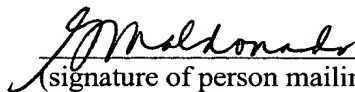
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2. Statement by Søren Flensted Lassen
3. Consent by Assignee
4. Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

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STATEMENT BY SØREN FLENSTED LASSEN

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I, Søren Flensted Lassen hereby states that:

1. I am an inventor of the subject matter claimed in the above-referenced application.
2. My name was inadvertently omitted in the list of inventors named in the above-referenced application.
3. This error was inadvertent and occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

Søren F. Lassen

Søren Flensted Lassen

Date: 06/10-2000

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CONSENT BY ASSIGNEE

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Sir:

Each of the originally named inventors is obligated to assign their rights to Novo Nordisk A/S, a corporation formed under the laws of the Kingdom of Denmark. An assignment by the originally named inventor was recorded on April 6, 2000, at Reel 010745, Frame 0456. Novo Nordisk A/S consents to the change of inventorship in the above captioned application comprising the addition of Søren Flensted Lassen from the recorded list of inventors.

Date: 25 October 2000

Pia Marianne Stahr
Manager, Enzyme Business Patents
Novo Nordisk A/S